

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE  
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA, NORTHERN DIVISION

JOSEPH EDWIN MITCHELL,	)	
	)	
Petitioner,	)	
	)	CIVIL ACTION NO.
v.	)	2:05cv373-MHT
	)	(WO)
SCOTT MIDDLEBROOKS,	)	
Warden,	)	
	)	
Respondent.	)	

OPINION

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2241, petitioner, a former federal inmate, filed this lawsuit seeking habeas relief. This lawsuit is now before the court on the recommendation of the United States Magistrate Judge that petitioner's writ petition be denied as moot. Also before the court are petitioner's objections to the recommendation. After an independent and de novo review of the record, the court concludes that petitioner's objections should be overruled and the magistrate judge's recommendation adopted.

An appropriate judgment will be entered.

DONE, this the 26th day of September, 2007.

/s/ Myron H. Thompson  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE